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For: URINARY TRYPSIN INHIBITOR ASSAY CONTAINING A CHELATING AGENT

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8

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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(2), applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the April 9, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified application. With the extension, the response is due on or before September 9, 2002. The fee of \$400.00, in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2), is not enclosed herewith.

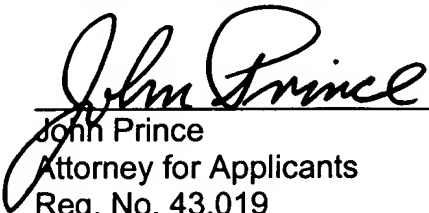
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